

## WILSON AND MARSHALL CHOSEN BY ACCLAMATION AT ST. LOUIS

### AUSTRIAN FORCES QUIT CZERNOWITZ AS RUSSIANS NEAR

Report of Evacuation of  
City Reaches Petrograd  
From Bukovina.

### NO SIGNS OF SLACKENING IN THIS GREAT OFFENSIVE

Czar's Men Make Fresh Gains  
and Capture Thousands of  
Additional Prisoners.

### FRENCH TAKE GERMAN TRENCH

Canadians Still Hold Recaptured  
Positions in Vicinity of  
Zellebecke.

After twelve days the great Russian offensive against the Austro-Hungarians and Germans from Volhynia to Bukovina shows no signs of slackening. All along the front, fresh gains and the capture of thousands of additional prisoners, guns, machine guns and war supplies are claimed by the Russians. Prisoners now exceed 150,000.

While semi-official advices from Petrograd give a report that the Austrians have evacuated Czernowitz, the latest Austrian official communication says their troops are making a stand north and east of the city, and at both points have repulsed Russian attacks.

In the drive westward from the region of Lutsk the Austrians are counterattacking or intrenching themselves in new positions for a stand against the Russians.

No reports of gains for either side in Galicia in the region of Tarnopol have come through. Here, apparently, there is still a deadlock.

On the German end of the northern front, the Russians near Baranovich captured German trenches, but later were forced to give them up. Infantry attacks by the Germans along the Prut River and in the lake region south of Dvinsk were repulsed, according to Petrograd.

GERMAN TRENCH ATTACKED  
AND CAPTURED BY FRENCH

The French on the slopes south of Le Mort Homme, northwest of Verdun, have attacked and captured a German trench. The Germans are still violently bombarding the sectors of Thiaumont and Fort Souville, northeast of Verdun, probably preparatory to another infantry attack.

Only artillery activity is in progress on the remainder of the front in France and Belgium. The Canadians still hold the positions recaptured from the Germans in the vicinity of Zellebecke, where there is intermittent shelling by both sides.

On the Austro-Italian line in the Tyrol only artillery bombardments and small infantry engagements have been reported.

To the east of Monfalcone, a short distance from the Gulf of Trieste, the Italians have captured Austrian positions and taken prisoner 450 officers and men.

Near Fehle, on the Tigris River the Turks have repulsed a British advance, according to Constantinople. The annihilation of 400 British troops on the Euphrates sector also is reported by the Turkish War Office. Persian volunteers are declared to be attacking the Russians near the Persian border, inflicting heavy losses.

AUSTRIAN FORCES REPORTED TO  
HAVE EVACUATED CZERNOWITZ

PETROGRAD, June 16 (via London).—The Austrians have evacuated Czernowitz, according to dispatches to the semi-official Petrograd news agency from Bukovina by way of Bukharest.

RUSSIANS REPULSED BY  
VON BOTHMER'S TROOPS

BERLIN, June 15 (by wireless).—Russian troops in dense formation attacked the Teutonic line near Przewlaka, but were repulsed by General von Bothmer's troops. It was announced by army headquarters to-day.

The statement follows:  
"Western front: Aside from artillery duels and patrol engagements, there have been no occurrences."  
"Eastern front: The army of General von Bothmer repulsed several attacks delivered in dense waves by the Russians near and north of Przewlaka."  
"Balkan front: The situation with the German troops is unchanged."

AUSTRIANS MAKE STAND  
NORTH OF CZERNOWITZ

BERLIN, June 15 (by wireless).—Austrian troops in Bukovina are making a stand north of Czernowitz, capital of the crownland, and also are holding the Russians to the east of the city. The repulse of Russian attacks from both these directions is announced in the official headquarters statement from Vienna issued under date of June 14.

SURPRISE ATTACK MADE  
ON AUSTRIAN POSITIONS

ROME, June 15 (via London).—A surprise attack was made yesterday on Austrian positions east of Monfalcone.

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### President Grateful to Generous Friends

Notified at 1 o'clock This Morning  
of Re-nomination by  
Acclamation.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—President Wilson was notified at 1 o'clock this morning by Secretary Tumulty that he and Vice-President Marshall had been nominated by acclamation at the St. Louis convention.

His only comment was: "I am very grateful to my generous friends." During the demonstration for the President, which followed Judge Westcott's speech, a telephone wire connecting the convention hall with the White House switchboard was opened and the President, Mrs. Wilson, Secretary Tumulty, and others of the White House party listened in. The applause and cheering could be heard very plainly.

### PROGRESSIVES STILL SORE

Want Some Other Candidate for President  
If Roosevelt Declines  
Nomination.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Judge Seabury, of the New York Court of Appeals, a Democrat, was endorsed for Governor to-night by the New York County committee of the Progressive party. Hamilton Fish, Jr., was endorsed for Lieutenant-Governor.

A resolution was passed declaring that if Colonel Roosevelt does not accept the Progressive nomination, the executive committee of the party should select another Progressive candidate for President.

Oscar S. Straus stated in a speech that he was for Hughes for President, and tried to prevent the adoption of the resolution. He declared the party had not been "sold out" by its leaders, and declared that George W. Perkins had kept faith with his party.

Virtually every committeeman present charged that the delegates at the Progressive convention in Chicago had been "hoodwinked."

### ROOSEVELT WELL AGAIN

Restored to Usual Ruddy Health—Will  
Stay in New York Until  
Saturday.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
NEW YORK, June 15.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt has returned to his usual ruddy health.

He declared that he was feeling fine in the course of an interview with newspaper men to-day.

Examination of the Colonel by Dr. Arthur B. Duell showed that he was suffering only from a strained muscle or ligament on the left side. This diagnosis was borne out by X-ray photographs.

Mr. Roosevelt stated that he would remain in New York probably until Saturday morning.

### LAST TO SEE KITCHENER

Survivor of Cruiser Hampshire Declares  
War Office Official Went Down  
With Boat.

LONDON, June 15.—An official report was issued to-night giving details of the sinking of the cruiser Hampshire off the Orkneys last week as gathered from the twelve survivors washed ashore on a raft. It said the vessel was struck by a mine, and that when last seen Kitchener was standing on the quarterdeck.

The story of Seaman Rogerson, a survivor, as printed in the Daily Mail of to-day, says:

"I was the one who saw Kitchener last. He went down with the ship. He did not leave her. I saw Captain Savel help his boat crew to clear away his gallery. At the same time the captain was calling to Kitchener to come to his boat. Owing to the noise made by the wind and sea, Earl Kitchener could not hear him."

### HUGHES HAS STRENUOUS DAY

Pledges, Promises and Predictions Pour  
Into Ears of Republican  
Candidate.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Pledges, promises and predictions continued to pour into the ears of Charles E. Hughes to-day from Republican leaders and the rank and file of the party. He had virtually no time for conferences, but spent nearly the entire day welcoming visitors.

Mr. Hughes reiterated to-day his decision not to comment on political issues until his notification of nomination, which probably will be subsequent to July 4. Half a dozen invitations to make Fourth of July addresses are under consideration.

### NEGRO SENTENCED TO DIE

Jury Returns Verdict of Guilty in Six  
Minutes—Charged With Attack-  
ing White Woman.

MOBILE, ALA., June 15.—Mose Cunningham, a negro, was found guilty of criminal assault here to-day and sentenced to be hanged. The jury returned the verdict in six minutes.

Cunningham attacked a well-known white woman of Touminville, a suburb, on May 17. He was captured ten days later at Selma.

VIRGINIA BEACH.  
C. & O. Fast Train leaving Richmond 12:30 Noon, with parlor car, arrives Virginia Beach 7:15 P. M. Connection Norfolk with other Fast Train—Adv.

### TROOPERS KILLED IN RAID ON BORDER

De la Rosa's Men Attack Small  
Cavalry Detachment at  
San Ignacio.

### EIGHT OF MEXICANS DEAD

Sweeping Search of Country  
Being Made for "Hot Trail"  
of Bandits.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., June 15.—Luis de la Rosa to-day made good his threat to raid the border, when 100 of his men attacked a small detachment of the Fourteenth Cavalry at San Ignacio, forty miles southeast of Laredo. His action cost him eight men killed, several wounded and many horses and some equipment. The American loss was three killed and six wounded, as follows:

Dead:  
Private Minaden, Troop M.  
Private Charles F. Flowers, Troop M.  
Private Edward Katch, Troop M.

Wounded:  
Privates Thomas H. Ewing and James E. Rouch, Troop I, seriously; Corporal William Oberlies; Privates William Minette, Tony Halvina and Henry Matasoff, Troop M.

Major Alonso Gray to-day was using every man of his little command in a sweeping search of the country for a "hot trail." If it is discovered, a third punitive expedition may enter Mexico, but at department headquarters General Funston and his staff have little hope that Major Gray will be able to get in touch with the band. There was evidence to show that a large party had re-entered Mexico, but other evidence indicated that some of them at least were scattered along the brush-covered country on the American side.

The first shot fired by the attacking party was at the corporal of the guard at 2 A. M. A sentry had heard the voices of Mexicans beyond his post. He could see one and called the corporal. While the sentry and corporal were talking the raiding party attacked.

### BRISK ENGAGEMENTS RAGES FOR THIRTY MINUTES

For thirty minutes, according to a report made by Major Gray, brisk engagement ensued. There were not more than eighty Americans in the camp, and it is believed the Mexicans expected to find even a smaller number. It was the camp of Troop M, but a part of that troop was on duty down the river. The remainder of that troop was re-enforced by Troop I, that came from a station on the river above.

The Americans fought from trenches, into which they were ordered immediately after the attack began. When they moved out and began the offensive, the Mexicans were gone.

Major Gray reported that he had been in communication with a detachment of Carranza troops on the Mexican side of the river, and that its officer commanding had informed him that his men already had run down and shot four of the bandits.

Vicente Lira, a Mexican, who entered the American camp several hours after the fight, said he had been made a prisoner by the bandits at Lajarta, twenty miles southwest of Laredo, several days ago. He said the party left Lajarta Monday night and moved steadily across the barren country without anything to eat, arriving near the American camp about midnight.

The attack was made about two hours later. He said that in the confusion of the fight his guards overlooked him. Lira's story was partly credited by the American officers. Until a few months ago he was living in San Antonio. While here he represented himself as a snake-catcher.

### NAME OF LEADER OF BAND NOT REPORTED

The name of the leader of the band has not been reported. Papers taken from the body of one of the Mexicans indicated that he was Cruz Ruiz, a former officer of Carranza's army. Army officers, however, believe it not improbable that Ruiz was carrying the papers as souvenirs of the days when he was an officer in the government service.

Governor Funston was not surprised at the raid. Several days ago information reached here that De la Rosa expected to make an attack at some point. Recently it was officially announced in Mexico that De la Rosa had been arrested in Monterey, but no other confirmation was received here.

In the meantime, he had concentrated some hundreds of his bandit army at Lajarta in sight of the de facto government troops, who moved north and south over the National Railroad. It was reported that General Ricaut conferred with De la Rosa at Lajarta. The immediate dispersal of the attacking party to-day is a pursuance of the same tactics adopted by the bandits who raided the border about Brownsville last year. These raids were instigated by De la Rosa.

General Funston to-day ordered the Thirtieth Cavalry to Eagle Pass.

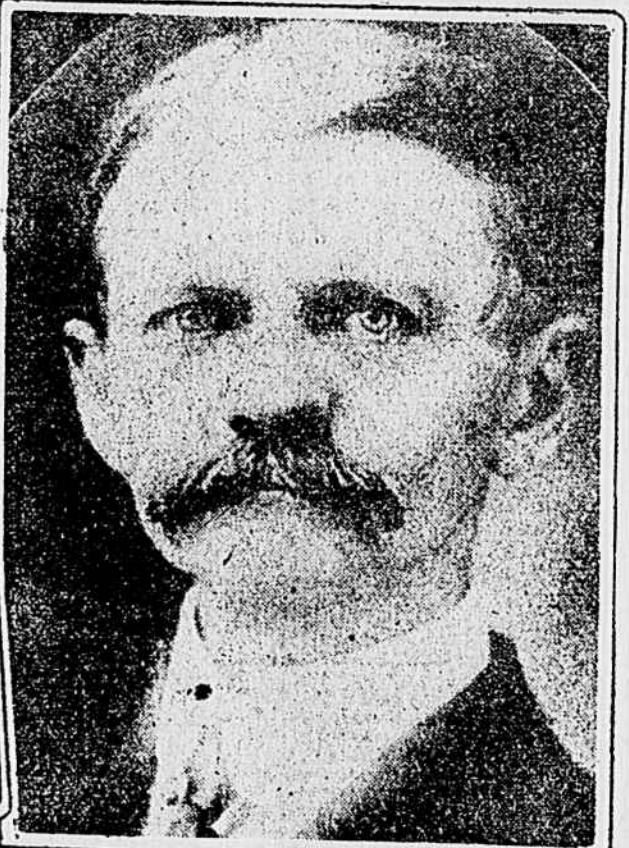
WILL REFUSE CARRANZA'S  
DEMAND FOR WITHDRAWAL

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Secretary Lansing's draft of the note which will refuse General Carranza's demand for withdrawal of American troops from Mexico was to-day being worked on to-morrow.

CHARLES E. HASKIN  
WASH., D.C.



WOODROW WILSON.



THOMAS R. MARSHALL.

### VIRGINIA DEMOCRATS RECEIVED BY WILSON

They Present Copy of Resolutions  
Adopted Recently at Roanoke  
Convention.

### EXPRESSES HIS GRATITUDE

Especially Gracious Act, He Thinks,  
for Committee to Come in Person  
to Present Indorsement of Admin-  
istration.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—President Wilson to-day received a delegation of Virginia Democrats, headed by Colonel James P. Woods, of Roanoke, and Rorer James, the State chairman, who presented to the President a copy of the Resolutions adopted recently at the Roanoke convention indorsing the administration. Colonel Woods told the President that the Democrats should make their campaign on the achievements of the administration.

"I had the pleasure of seeing these resolutions when they were printed after the convention," said the President in reply, "and I had already felt the encouragement which they brought to me in generous measure, but it is an especially gracious act on the part of the convention to have appointed a committee to come in person to present these resolutions to me. I want you to know, in the first place, that when you do me the honors of this sort, you make me feel very proud, but you make me feel also very proud, because in the midst of a great many unexpected difficulties a man can never be sure that he is taking the wisest course. He can only be sure if the motives that prompt him in that course and of the thoughts that lie back of the course."

### SATURATED IN TRADITIONS OF AMERICAN HISTORY

"I have been saturated all my life in the traditions of American history, to which Virginia has made such abundant contribution, and I feel that the spirit which animates a nation is the spirit which its executive ought at least to try to interpret and put into action. That has been my endeavor, and that I have won, in acting upon those principles, the affectionate admiration and support of my native State, gives me deep and proud gratification."

"You have overstated my claims to credit, but I accept what you have said as a tribute of the heart, rather than a tribute of the judgment, though I know you intended it as both, and as a tribute of the heart it gives me peculiar pleasure."

"It is not often that there is a personal contact of this sort in this rather strenuous and lonely business of conducting a government, and, therefore, I feel that you came in such interesting numbers to bring me this encouragement and to tell me that you do believe in the motives and in the purposes that have characterized this administration. I can only thank you very humbly and very heartily for the great compliment, and the great pleasure that this visit has given me."

### TENNESSEE JUDGE GUILTY

Convicted of Official Misconduct by State  
Senate, Sitting as Court of  
Impeachment.

NASHVILLE, TENN., June 15.—Judge Jesse Edgington, of Memphis, was to-day convicted of official misconduct by the State Senate, sitting as a court of impeachment. He was found guilty on articles charging him with accepting \$1,500 from a beer agent for immunity and drinking beer in a roomhouse closed by an injunction from his court. Nine articles, in addition to the six on which he was convicted to-day, will be voted on to-morrow.

Washington and Return, \$2.00—  
from Richmond. Tickets good only on  
special train leaving Shafter and Broad  
streets, 6:30 A. M. Saturday, June 17th, and  
returning, leave Washington 9:00 P. M. same  
date—Adv.

### VANCE M'CORMICK PICKED TO SUCCEED M'COMBS

President Notifies Democratic Leaders  
in St. Louis of His Choice  
for Chairman.

### REGARDED AS PROGRESSIVE

Believed That He Will Be Able to  
Solidify Party—Congressman Car-  
ter Glass Selected for Secretary of  
National Committee.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Vance McCormick, of Pennsylvania, has been selected by President Wilson to succeed William F. McCombs as chairman of the Democratic National Committee. Administration leaders in St. Louis were notified to-day by the President. The President's other selections were as follows: Vice-chairman, Homer S. Cummings, of Connecticut; secretary, Carter Glass, of Virginia; treasurer, Wilbur B. Marsh, of Iowa; chairman of executive committee, Fred B. Lynch, of Minnesota.

It was not until to-day that the President finally reached a decision. He had hoped that Colonel E. M. House, his close personal friend, would manage his campaign.

Mr. Lynch was not a candidate for the place after William J. Bryan came out against him.

It is believed here that Mr. McCormick will be able to solidify the party and harmonize different elements. The President looks upon him as progressive, and thoroughly in harmony with his ideas of how the coming campaign should be run.

The Democratic National Committee elects its chairman, but there is no doubt that the President's choice will be formally ratified.

### AWAITED WITH INTEREST PRESIDENT'S SELECTION

Mr. McCormick announced months ago that he would not undertake the direction of the campaign this year, and the party leaders have been awaiting with keen interest the President's selection of a man for the task.

Vance Criswell McCormick, who is a native of Harrisburg, and forty-four years old, owns the Harrisburg morning newspaper, the Patriot, and has been identified with Democratic politics since his youth. He was Mayor of Harrisburg from 1902 to 1905, and this year was the party's candidate for Governor.

Mr. Marsh is a wealthy manufacturer of Waterloo, Ind. He has been known as a Clark Democrat, and his selection by President Wilson as the man who helps the funds and handles the money-bag of the Democratic party, is looked upon as an attempt to satisfy the Clark following.

Mr. Cummings has been the Democratic national committeeman from Connecticut since 1906. He is a lawyer. He was graduated from Yale in 1891 and received an honorary degree in 1893, the year that McCormick was graduated from the same university.

Representative Glass succeeds the late Thomas J. Pence, as secretary of the committee. He is the owner of two daily newspapers at Lynchburg. He has been elected to Congress for five consecutive terms.

### NEWS OF SELECTION COMES AS SURPRISE

ST. LOUIS, June 15.—News of the election of Vance McCormick as the President's choice for national chairman came as a surprise to members of the committee, although his name was on what was characterized as the "White House" list of suggestions. The committee will meet on Saturday morning and formally name Mr. McCormick. All of the candidates who have been urged for the chairmanship will withdraw immediately.

Mr. McCormick is a leader in what is known in Pennsylvania as the reorganization faction of the party. He has been associated with former Representative Palmer in the contests against the so-called organization Democrats, and has been a liberal contributor to campaigns.

### VIRGINIANS FEEL PRIDE IN THEIR GIFT TO NATION

Governor Stuart Voices Enthusiastic  
Loyalty Which State of His  
Birth Has for Wilson.

### SECONDS HIS NOMINATION

Mother of Presidents No Less Proud  
of Great Man Now in White House  
Than of Other Illustrious Sons,  
Jefferson, Madison, Monroe.

### BY CHARLES E. HASKROOK.

ST. LOUIS, MO., June 15.—Governor Henry C. Stuart, of Virginia, speaking for the State of his birth and for the South as a whole, seconded the nomination of Woodrow Wilson to-night in a speech that rang with eloquence and with the pride which all Virginians feel in their gift to the nation.

During the whole of to-day's proceedings the Virginians on the convention floor participated in the frenzied demonstrations which marked the second day's session and in the passionate enthusiasm with which every reference to the Wilson administration was met.

Senator James's keynote speech was the signal for a remarkable outburst. This was not less remarkable than that yesterday when former Governor Glynn made his fine defense of the present regime at Washington. The Virginia delegates once more lifted the standard of the State aloft and led the procession which marched for fifteen minutes down the aisles of the great hall. They were the first to-day to form in line, and were immediately followed by delegates from other States. Before the applause subsided the floor was packed with men, and it was with great difficulty that the convention officers could restore order and allow the Senator to proceed.

### GOVERNOR STUART'S ADDRESS SECONDING NOMINATION

Governor Stuart spoke as follows:  
"Virginia, the mother of Presidents, has given into my hands the honor and the high commission to express for her the pride she feels in the contribution she has made to the nation and to the world in her illustrious son, Woodrow Wilson, and to second his nomination for President of the United States."

Proud as she is of her Jefferson, the founder of our Democracy, who gave to mankind a new conception of the measure of human liberty, and who laid the sure foundation of a popular government on the earth, a government which recognized and guaranteed the priceless blessings of civil and religious liberty; proud as she is of her Madison, who, as President of the United States, wrenched from the mother country our commercial freedom on the high seas; proud as she is of her Monroe, who announced and maintained a doctrine which has been a bulwark of safety in the enjoyment of liberties already achieved, she is to-day no less proud of her Wilson, who, while guarding with jealous care the heritage of his great predecessors, has led the way to a new freedom, the freedom of the American people from the privileged classes, which have been fostered and pampered by a generation of Republicanism.

"Through all his mighty conflicts with selfish and entrenched interests at home, he has been beset by international complications growing out of a world war which has almost shaken the foundations of civilization itself, and yet he has held his steady hand at the helm, strong in the confidence and support of his fellow-countrymen and in the respect of all the nations of the earth."

### WILSON STANDS UNMOVED BY PROPHECY OF DISASTER

"Unmoved by the lamentations of the false prophets of disaster at home and abroad, he has protected the rights and interests of America and Americans on sea and on land—he has given the counter-claim to the confidence of the people."

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### ROARING CHORUS FOR RENOMINATION OF PARTY HEADS

Names Placed Before Demo-  
cratic Convention in Elo-  
quent Speeches.

### ADJOURNMENT TAKEN UNTIL THIS MORNING

Subcommittee Finishes Draft of  
Platform, but Work Is Not  
Yet Passed On.

### AMERICANISM PLANK KEPT IN

Enthusiastic Demonstrations During  
Two Sessions Mark Approval  
of President's Policies.

### COLISEUM, ST. LOUIS, June 15.—

President Wilson and Vice-President Marshall were nominated by acclamation to-night by the Democratic National Convention, the ticket being completed four minutes before Friday.

Contrary to expectations, the convention did not finish its work, because the platform was not ready, and it will meet again at 11 o'clock Friday morning.

It was announced in the convention that the subcommittee drafting the platform had finished its work, but that the entire committee was not assembled to pass on it.

President Wilson's own plank charging conspiracy among some foreign-born citizens for the benefit of foreign powers and denouncing any political party which benefits by not repudiating such a situation was incorporated in the platform just as the President had sent it from Washington. It was understood that the President insisted that the plank should be put in the platform in the way he had drawn it.

### VICE-PRESIDENTIAL BOOMS

### QUICKLY MELT AWAY

There never was any doubt of President Wilson's nomination to-night, but there was a possibility that some vice-presidential booms might be brought out in opposition to Vice-President Marshall. They melted away, however, when the convention got in session, and as soon as President Wilson's nomination had been made amid a roaring chorus of acclamation, Senator James, who renominated Mr. Marshall, cast aside a long prepared speech and simply declared:

"I nominate Thomas Riley Marshall, of Indiana, for Vice-President."

To President Wilson's nomination there was only one dissenting vote. That was cast by Senator Robert Emmett Burke, of Illinois, who came to the convention announcing that he was opposed to the President. His vote technically made the President's nomination 1,031 to 1.

### UPROARIOUS RECEPTION IS ACCORDED BRYAN

The Coliseum was so full to-night that the fire department took charge of the entrances and permitted no more to come in. William J. Bryan, however, managed to get by, and got an uproarious reception.

Senator James learned of the Nebraskaan's plight and rescued him. At 9:15 o'clock Chairman James rapped the convention to order. The Rev. W. J. Hardesty, chaplain of the Missouri Senate, offered prayer.

After the prayer the crowd renewed its demands for a speech from Bryan. Senator Thompson moved a suspension of the rules to permit Mr. Bryan to speak. There were some "noes," but the chairman ruled two-thirds had voted in favor.

A committee headed by Senator Kern escorted Mr. Bryan to the speaker's place, while the floor and galleries roared their approval.

Senator James introduced Mr. Bryan as "one of the leading citizens of the world, and America's greatest Democrat."

Mr. Bryan expressed his appreciation of the honor conferred by the invitation.

"Every Democratic convention is a love feast to me," he said. "It gives me an opportunity to meet and renew acquaintances with men with whom I have been associated in politics for more than twenty years."

### SUBMIT TO PEOPLE CLAIMS TO CONTINUED CONFIDENCE

Reviewing the struggles of the party, Mr. Bryan said:

"After sixteen years of waiting our party entered the White House, and fortunately we won the Senate and the House at the same time. Our party became responsible for national affairs, and now we come after three years of labor to make our plans for the future, and to submit to the American people the claims of our party to continued confidence."